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FOR: DEVICE FOR TREATMENT OF PATIENTS WITH DISTURBED
POSTURE AND MOTOR ACTIVITY RESULTING FROM CEREBRAL PARALYSIS
(AS AMENDED)

PRELIMINARY RESPONSE

BOX CPA
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Preliminary to examination in the above-identified
Continued Prosecution Application (CPA), the following
response is being filed.

R E M A R K S

Enclosed herewith are three Declarations Under Rule 132,
namely Exhibit E, Exhibit F, and Exhibit G. Also enclosed are
documents related to a certified conclusion about the
impossibility of using the proposed device (therapeutic suit
Adeli) as a sports exerciser. The Applicants also believe
that the submitted data should confirm the compliance of the
claimed invention with the requirement of non-obviousness
under 35 U.S.C. 103.